

EMA CONFERENCE CALL MINUTES
WEDNESDAY, July 27, 2011 AT 2:00PM

74 Counties participated in the EMA conference call:

Adams	Fulton	Madison	St. Joseph
Bartholomew	Gibson	Marion	Starke
Boone	Grant	Marshall	Steuben
Brown	Greene	Miami	Sullivan
Cass	Hamilton	Monroe	Switzerland
Clark	Hancock	Morgan	Tippecanoe
Clay	Hendricks	Newton	Tipton
Clinton	Henry	Noble	Union
Davies	Howard	Ohio	Vanderburgh
Dearborn	Jackson	Orange	Vermillion
Decatur	Jay	Owen	Vigo
DeKalb	Jefferson	Parke	Wabash
Delaware	Jennings	Perry	Warren
Dubois	Johnson	Posey	Warrick
Elkhart	Knox	Pulaski	Washington
Fayette	Kosciusko	Putnam	Wayne
Floyd	LaGrange	Randolph	White
Fountain	Lake	Ripley	
Franklin	LaPorte	Shelby	

Mary Lyons welcomed everyone to the conference call. During the call, questions should be e-mailed to Mary Lyons mlyons@dhs.in.gov and they would be addressed later in the call.

Planning and Grants Management Division:

Mary Fields

Please make sure to GAN any unspent funds back to the Homeland Security Foundation.

Niki Theeuwes

Registration information for upcoming conference calls are in the *Info Bulletin* sent out in July. Equipment Inventory is available online. Read only access is now available. Email Niki if you need her to add you as an IGMS user. ntheeuwes@dhs.in.gov

Online Tutorial is available on the Grants management tab of the DHS Website. Also the IGMS manual has been revised to include changes to how match is captured.

Training Division:

Ken Woodall

Update from USDHS/FEMA the funding is going down and the requirements of accountability are going up on workshops and training events.

Gerry Husband

EMA assessment document there are two updates of EMPG requirements from FEMA that apply to you

1. Must have 3 workshops per year that are HSEP compliant
2. Training Required (given to you in your assessment document)

Ashlee Grisel

Please contact Ashlee for dates of upcoming trainings agrisel@dhs.in.gov

All courses are also on our IDHS Training Calendar.

Public Information Office - John Erickson

Sept 10 we will be having a candle light vigil @ 8:00pm. More information will be sent out.

IDHS will be at the State Fair from opening day, Aug 5 thru Aug 14. Note we will only be there the first 10 days of the fair.

Please send John Erickson any of your Preparedness month activities so we can add them to our press releases. pio@dhs.in.gov

Response and Recovery Division:

Phil Brown

Reminder that we will continue accepting requests for Public Assistance through Friday July 29. Each city and town in their county can submit one if they experienced damage as a result of the disaster. They are also encouraged to advise me of any impacts they may be aware of especially any current impacts being felt by residents.

Director Wainscott:

Don't let down, keep driving this because there will be more storms that we need to be ready for.

Introduced our new Planning Branch Chief – Jennifer Richardson.

Please e-mail Mary Lyons at mlyons@dhs.in.gov with your agenda topics and ideas as soon as possible.

The next EMA Conference call will be held on Wednesday, Aug 31, 2011 at 2:00P.M. Please remember to call in at 1:55 to avoid dial-in noise.
